



Hampton Police Division Media Release

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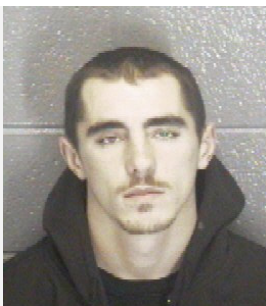
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January 31, 2005

MAIMING SUSPECTS ARRESTED

On January 29, 2005, at approximately 3:03 am, police responded to investigate a felonious assault complaint. Investigators determined that the victim, a 50 year old Hampton man, was walking alone in the 700 block of North King Street when he observed a red 1993 Jeep Cherokee stop abruptly in the roadway. Without provocation the occupants exited the vehicle, approached the victim and violently assaulted him. They fled back to the vehicle and left the scene. The victim walked to the Greyhound Bus station, located at 2 West Pembroke Avenue to summoned police and emergency medical services. Officers located the suspect vehicle and conducted a traffic stop in the area of North King Street and West Mercury Blvd. The five occupants were detained and positively identified by the victim. Officers recovered a pellet gun and brass knuckles from the passenger compartment of the vehicle.

Investigators arrested three adults and two juveniles charging them with maiming by mob, malicious wounding and curfew violations.



Dwight David Nickles
19 yrs old residing in
the 1300 block of Old
Buckroe Road



Charles Dennis Normandeau
19 yrs old residing in the 1900
block of Moger Drive



Michael Brandon Lupton
18 year old residing in the
1800 block of Rawood
Drive

Corporal Jimmie Wideman will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6638.

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